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TAGS: ENRG, SA, US

SUBJECT: COORDINATION WITH SAG ON US ENERGY PROGRAMS

REF: JIDDA 2909

1. AFTERNOON APRIL 20 DR. SCHLESINGER GAVE EXTENSIVE BRIEFING ON ADMINISTRATION'S ENERGY PROGRAM TO THE DIPLOMATIC CORPS. ALIREZA PRESENT.
2. POINTS YOU RAISE PARA 1 REFTTEL RE OIL, NATURAL GAS, AND GASOLINE PRICES WERE COVERED FULLY. DR. SCHLESINGER STRESSED THAT CONSERVATIONIST THRUST OF NEW PROGRAM IS DESIGNED TO RELIEVE PRESSURE ON WORLD OIL DEMAND HENCE MITIGATING PRESSURE FOR PRICE ESCALATION. HE NOTED PROGRAM IS BASED ON USING CONSERVATIONIST EFFORTS RATHER THAN PRICE DISCIPLINES TO RESTRAIN DEMAND. POINT WAS CLEARLY MADE THAT PROPOSED TAXES ON DOMESTIC OIL ARE
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DESIGNED TO BRING DOMESTIC OIL PRICES NEAR WORLD PRICE AND NOT TO ENCOURAGE INCREASE IN WORLD CRUDE PRICE. ALSO POINT WAS MADE THAT GASOLINE TAX IS A STAND-BY MEASURE DESIGNED TO CREATE A CONSERVATIONIST INCENTIVE.

3. ARP WILL CHECK WIRELESS FILE COVERAGE OF PRESIDENT'S PROGRAM WITH VIEW TO PROVIDING EMBASSY THAT SUPPLEMENTAL

INFORMATION WHICH MAY APPEAR USEFUL.

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